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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

: Jean-Marie Tran

Application No.

09/399,687

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For

Apparatus, And Associated Method, For Effectuating

Power Control Of A Communication Device.

Group No.

: 2697

Examiner

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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant respectfully requests a two (2) month extension of time for filing a response to the Office Action mailed 27 February 2003. The response period is presently set to expire on 27 May 2003, and if this Request for Extension of Time is granted, the new response date will be 27 July 2003.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required to the Scheef and Stone Deposit Account No.50-2032. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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